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HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor directs the publication of the under-mentioned further official notice published in an Extra of The Canada Gazette of the 15th instant.

By Command.

RICHARD McBRIDE, Provincial Secretary.

His Excellency the Governor-General has received a further telegram from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, directing that the following additional rules be added to those already published touching the coaling of belligerent vessels of war in British ports:—

(1.) During continuation of hostilities no coal to be supplied to war ships of either of the belligerent powers, except on a written authorisation of the competent port authorities, specifying the amount of coal

which may be supplied:

(2.) Before issuing any authorisation for the supply of coal to any belligerent war ship the port authority shall obtain a written declaration, duly signed by the officer commanding such war ship, of the destination to which it is proceeding, and the amount of coal already on board.

By Command.

R. W. SCOTT, Secretary of State.

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